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**** DX INFORMATION ****

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3D2/R - The 15 November-4 December DXpedition to Rotuma Island [425DXN 1728] will be signing 3D2Y, not 3D2Z as previously announced. The on-site team (K4NHW, KD9LSV, LY7J, M0SDV, W2FQ and W6IZT) will operate locally with three stations on 160-6 metres CW, SSB and FT8. They will also participate in the CQ WW DX CW Contest using a different callsign (TBA). In addition, two of W6IZT's NexGenRIBs will be operated remotely by a multi-national team of young amateurs. QSL via M0OXO's OQRS. See <https://rotuma2024.com/> for more information and updates.

CE - Members of Radioclub El Trauko (CE7DE), based on Chiloe Island (SA-018), will be operating special callsigns 3G7CW (CW) and 3G7RLN (other modes) throughout September, with a focus on the 17th. This was the day in 1898 when Ramon Luis Norero put a wireless telegraph system into operation across the Chacao Channel between Chiloe and mainland Chile. Club Log's Live Stream has been enabled for both callsigns. QSLs direct to CE7DE.

GJ - Tev, TA1HZ, will be active as MJ/TA1HZ from Jersey on 11-16 September, including participation in the WAE DX SSB Contest (14-15 September). QSL via LoTW; QSOs will be uploaded also to Club Log, eQSL and QRZ Logbook.
Also active from Jersey will be Peter, ON8ZZ and Fred, ON8ZL on 13-15 September. They will be QRV as MJ/OT9Z on 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 metres, and Fred will participate in the WAE DX SSB Contest. QSL via ON8ZL. [TNX DX World]

HH - 4V1SAVANNAH is the special callsign for the Radio Club d'Haiti to commemorate the 245th anniversary of the Battle of Savannah from 16 September to 20 October. QSL via N200; QSOs will be uploaded to Club Log. In 1779, more than 500 volunteers from Saint-Domingue (the French colony which later became Haiti), fought alongside American colonial troops against the British Army during the siege of Savannah, an encounter of the American War of Independence.

HZ - HZ94ND, 7Z94ND and 8Z94ND are the special callsigns for the Saudi Amateur Radio Society (HZ1SAR) to celebrate Saudi National Day on 5-23 September. QSOs will be uploaded to Club Log. Based on the number of lunar years, Saudi National Day commemorates the renaming of the Kingdom of Nejd and Hejaz to the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia (23 September 1932).
National societies from Gulf Cooperation Council's neighbouring countries are expected to join the celebrations and be active around 23 September, including the Bahrain Amateur Radio Society (A91ARS), the Kuwait Amateur Radio Society (9K9KSA), the Royal Omani Amateur Radio Society (A43KSA) and the Emirates Amateur Radio Society (A60ARS).

PA - Special callsign PH80LIB will be in use from various locations between 11 September and 10 November to commemorate the 80th anniversary of the liberation of southern Netherlands in the autumn of 1944. Activity will be on 80-10 metres SSB, CW and digital modes. QSL via the bureau. See <https://www.qrz.com/db/PH80LIB> for detailed information.

SP - Special callsigns SN100P, SN100L, SN100N, SN100PLN and SN100BP will be used from 1 September to 31 December for the 100th anniversary of the establishment of Bank Polski SA and the introduction of the zloty (PLN), Poland's official currency. The activity is organized by the Polish Amateur Radio Association. QSL via the bureau. A certificate will be available, see <https://www.qrz.com/db/SN100PLN> for the details.

SV - The Salamis Radio Amateurs Group will be active as SX8AS on 16-30 September from Salamina Island (EU-075). QSL via LoTW and Club Log.

SV/A - Someone pirated SV2RSG and SV2RSG/A on 5 September, using a fake SuperFox key on 20 and 17 metres FT8. The genuine Monk Iakovos, SV2RSG plans to be QRV from Mount Athos sometime on 8 September. QSL via SV1GRM. [TNX The Daily DX]

T8 - Nobu, JA0JHQ will be active again as T88PB from Koror (OC-009), Palau on 7-9 September, with main activity during the SSB leg of the All Asian DX Contest. QSL via LoTW (preferred), or direct to home call.

V4 - Rikk, WE9G will be active as V4/WE9G from Frigate Bay on St. Kitts (NA-104) on 10-17 September. He will operate mainly FT8/FT4 (MSHV) with some SSB and CW on 80-6 metres. QSL via LoTW, Club Log, QRZ Logbook, or via home call.

PACIFIC TRIP ---> During his 4-19 September trip [425DXN 1739], Maxim, OH7O will be active as 3D2YY from Viti Levu, Fiji; YJ0YY from Port Vila, Vanuatu (6-10 September); T2M from Tuvalu (12-16 September). He operates mostly SSB and some QRS CW on 40-10m: <https://oh7o.com/dxexpedition-to-pacific-islands/> for updates.

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N5J ---> Authored by Don, N1DG, the Jarvis Island DXpedition wrap-up is on <https://jarvisisland2024.com/news/108-the-dxpedition-to-jarvis-island-n5j-2>.

- * All QSOs from donors and QRS requests received by 31 August have been uploaded to LoTW. QSOs from future QRS requests and donations will be uploaded on a weekly basis. Plans are to upload all remaining QSOs by the end of the year.
- * As far as IOTA is concerned, credit for OC-081 will only be issued for contacts made with the five local operators (27,635 QSOs with 11,713 unique callsigns). "We broke out the IOTA logs from the local ops and gave

that to the IOTA team for their matching software", N1DG says. "The software will do a cross checking", adds VE3LYC, "identifying the first contact you made with one of the local team operators. Credits through LoTW QSO matching will be available starting on 7 September".

QSL GALLERY ---> The large collection of QSL cards on Les Nouvelles DX's website has been updated. Seventeen different galleries include 22,279 cards for the ten Most Wanted DXCC Entities (2014-23), the 62 deleted DXCC Entities, obsolete prefixes, stations from Maghreb from 1945 to 1962, Allied Forces stations in Germany (1945-80), special stations commemorating ITU and IARU, stations using the United Nations prefix (4U), Antarctic bases and TAAF (Terres Australes et Antarctiques Francaises), amateur radio "globetrotters", the various French DXCC island Entities in the Pacific Ocean, the Indian Ocean and the Americas (1945-1969), pre-1945 countries, French Departments and CONUS, plus a gallery for cards not accepted by DXCC. Your participation is welcome: <http://www.lesnouvellesdx.fr/galerieqsl.php>. [TNX F6AJA].

SUPERFOX KEY APPLICATION ---> SuperFox keys are issued by the Northern California DX Foundation: "A SuperFox key allows WSJT-X to operate in SuperFox mode. It is tied to a specific callsign. A SuperFox key may be made available to the leader of a DXpedition activating a rare entity - or other operations that need to support very high QSO run rates using FT8. Examples include (but are not limited to) highly desired IOTA expeditions, Grid Square expeditions, or Special Event Stations. SuperFox mode is not intended for casual use or contesting". See <https://www.ncdx.org/pages/sfkey.html> for the application form and more information.

It is worth noting, however, that the SuperFox software has been cracked and digital signatures embedded in the SuperFox messages currently cannot be trusted.

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***** QSL ROUTES *****
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CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER	CALL	MANAGER
3A/MM0NDX	EB7DX	EG6SDC	EA1AUM	SW8YA	HA1YA
3A/MM0SAJ	EB7DX	EG7SDC	EA1AUM	SW9IL	DJ5IL
3DA0AQ	EA5GL	EG8SDC	EA1AUM	SX5GB	SV2MAC
3G7CW	CE7DE	EG9SDC	EA1AUM	TJ1GD	SP3EOL
3G7RLN	CE7DE	EK/R2GEO	EA5GL	TM20KGZ	F8KGZ
3V8CB	LX1NO	H44MS	DL2GAC	TM24JPL	F5GSJ
4D2B	4F2KWT	HZ1TT	A61BK	TM24JPO	F8GGZ
5B4AMX	LZ3SM	II4OTSR	IQ4FE	TM24PRS	F4DTO
8Q7JH	DL3JH	IR3QRP	IU3QEZ	TM33GAME	F6KNL
9G5AF	EA5GL	J3/N9GB	EB7DX	TM40IPC	F6DZU
9K2ES	EC6DX	JG8NQJ/JD1	JA8CJY [d]	TM40KUQ	F6KUQ
9M67MA	9M2ODD	JG8NQJ/JD1	JG8NQJ [b]	TM4VHF	F4FCE

9M67MJ	9M2CDX	KH8T	M0URX	TM51JP	F5JYD
9M67MN	9M2DOC	LU5BE/S	EA7FTR	TM62JPO	F8KHW
9M67MP	9W2EYR	LY788A	LY5A	TM63REF	F5KDC
9M67MR	9M4CPS	LY788QT	LY2QT	TM67PR	F1LFL
9N1CA	EA5ZD	LZ1515IW	LZ1KCP	TM77PO	F4GYM
AO1IBR	EA4URE	OH0B	OH2BH	TM80LY	F8KLY
C7A	UA3DX	OL66EF	OK2RAC	TM80MTL	F6KEZ
E51WLG	N2WLG	OR80USA	ON4GDV	TU5ML	TA2YGT
EG1SDC	EA1AUM	OX3LX	OZ0J	VE2CSI	M0URX
EG2SDC	EA1AUM	OY/WT8P	EA5GL	VP6WR	M0URX
EG3SDC	EA1AUM	OZ0KRF	SP1KRF	YN9H	EA5GL
EG40SDC	EA1AUM	R450UFA	RA9WJV	YP50QRP	YO8AZQ
EG4SDC	EA1AUM	SN0WOLF	SP2KFQ	Z22AO	HA5AO
EG5SDC	EA1AUM	SP85WWS	SP3PDO	ZS1AFS	N4GNR

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